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CONFIRMATION NO. 1247

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:
Jean-Christophe Bandini & Daryl Odnert
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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CIP
Applicant : Bandini et al.
Appl. No. : 10/667,488
Filed : 9/22/2003
Customer No. : 26137
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Title: Method and System
for E-Mail Filtering

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed January 8, 2004. Applicant has not obtained the required signed declaration, and accordingly is not in a position to meet the requirement for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts. However, Applicant intends to file a continuation application concurrently herewith, and accordingly wishes to pay the required extension fees to insure co-pendency of the present application with such continuation application. Accordingly, Applicant has below authorized payment of the required extension fees.

Petition for Extension of Time. Applicant herewith petitions for a - 5 - month extension of time to respond to the above-identified office action. In the event that an extension of time is required and applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need to petition for such extension, the applicant hereby petitions for such extension of time.

Fees. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Skadden Arps' deposit account **19-2385**:

Surcharge for late filing of declaration: **\$2,010**

Any additional fees required in connection with this submission or any required extension or petition.

Respectfully submitted,

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

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Enclosures

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